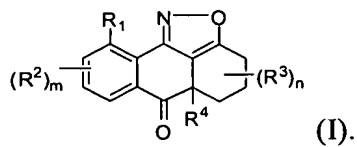


# **ABSTRACT**

The present application provides polycyclic ketone compounds that have a quarternary asymmetric carbon center and conform to Formula (I):



Also provided is a stereoselective method for synthesizing the polycyclic ketone compounds.